Habens Prize

Code: P687
Faculty: Arts and Education
Applicable study: Highest marks in a Masters Degree in the field of Education
Closing date: By nomination
Tenure:
For: Prize
Number on offer: One
Offer rate: Annually
Value: $500

Description

The Prize arises from a fund raised by subscription amongst teachers in New Zealand and officers of the Education Faculty, in memory of the Rev. William James Habens, BA, late Fellow of the University of New Zealand, who was Inspector-General of Schools from 1878-1899.

The main purpose of the Prize is to reward and recognise the student who achieved the highest marks in a Masters Degree in the field of Education in the Faculty of Arts and Education, having previously completed study at an Initial Teacher Education Provider, particularly those who completed study at a Training College recognised by the Ministry of Education.

Selection process

- Nomination is made to the Scholarships Office
- The Prize will be awarded by the University of Auckland Council upon the recommendation of the Dean of the Faculty of Arts and Education (or nominee)

Regulations

1. The Prize will be known as the Habens Prize.
2. One Prize will be awarded annually and will be of the value of $500.
3. The Prize will be awarded to the student who achieved the highest marks in a Masters Degree in the field of Education, having previously completed study at an Initial Teacher Education Provider. Consideration will be given to students who completed study at a Training College recognised by the Ministry of Education. As a minimum standard, the student must have achieved at least an A- average.
4. The Prize will be awarded by the University of Auckland Council on the recommendation of the Dean of the Faculty of Arts and Education (or nominee).
5. The Prize may not be shared.
6. The Prize will not be awarded more than once to the same student.
7. The University of Auckland is not obliged to make an award if it is determined there is no candidate that meets the

criteria and/or no candidate of sufficient merit.

8. The University of Auckland Council can amend or vary these regulations provided that there is no departure from the main purpose of the Prize.